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REMARKS

Claims 3-5, 7 and 21 are pending.

The undersigned thanks the examiner for clarifying the remarks contained in the advisory action mailed September 15, 2004. As a result of this conversation, applicant is canceling all rejected claims without prejudice to filing a continuation application to the canceled claims. The remaining claims having been identified as having allowable subject matter are to issue in due course.

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 09-0456, under Order No. 21806-00123-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: October 7, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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